

PAC PARTICIPATORY BUDGETING



Participatory budgeting (PB) is a different way to manage public money by engaging people to directly decide how to spend public funds. Palo Alto College has set aside \$25,000 for projects that will be brainstormed, proposed, and voted on in the Fall and implemented in Spring 2014 by faculty and staff. This is your opportunity to have your ideas turned into action.

Thursday, Sept. 12

Participatory Budgeting Info Sessions at
9 a.m. and 2 p.m.
Medina 104

Thursday, Sept. 18

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Wednesday, Oct. 2

Deadline to submit Pre-Proposal Form
online or to VP of College Services.

Oct. 3 - 4

Core team reviews Pre-Proposal Forms

Oct. 7 - 11

Project teams schedule individual meetings with resource members: Rosita Elizondo (Budget), Chris Delgado (Technology), and Sergio Rivera (Facilities). Project teams must contact the appropriate resource member to make an appointment.

Friday, Oct. 18

Deadline to submit Consulting Form
online or to VP of College Services.

Friday, Nov. 15

Deadline to submit Final Proposal Form to Public Relations & VP of College Services (EO 151). PR will use information to design and complete project poster for display. All posters will follow the same template.

Dec. 2 - 4

Project Poster Display
Student Center 130

Thursday, Dec. 5

Voting open to all full-time and part-time PAC employees.
Student Center 130

Friday, Dec. 6

Voting results released and winning teams will be notified via phone and/or email.

Jan. 21 - Aug. 1, 2014

Project implementation and evaluation

Friday, Aug. 1, 2014

Final project evaluation report due to VP of College Services.

The timeline for this program is subject to change. For more information, the Participatory Budget Committee invites you to attend the Info Sessions on Sept. 12 and 18.



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